1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA 9 10 MOISE MOISE NKUFI, CASE NO. 2:24-cv-00018-RSM-GJL Petitioner, 11 v. ORDER GRANTING 12 APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS FORMA PAUPERIS ENFORCEMENT, 13 Respondent. 14 15 This is a federal habeas action filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2241. Petitioner has submitted an 16 application seeking leave to proceed with this action In Forma Pauperis ("IFP"). Dkt. 4. 17 Petitioner's IFP Application demonstrates that he is unable to afford the \$5.00 filing fee. 18 Although Petitioner represents that he has \$440 available to him, he also indicates that the 19 monthly expenses he pays towards familial support far exceed this amount, making any 20 additional expense impracticable. Id. at 2. 21 Accordingly, the IFP Application (Dkt. 4) is **GRANTED**. The Clerk is directed to file 22 Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (Dkts. 1, 4-1) without the prepayment of fees. 23 24 ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO

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The Clerk is further directed to send a copy of this Order to Petitioner. Dated this 18th day of January, 2024. Grady J. Leupold United States Magistrate Judge